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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated June 22, 2005, Applicants present the following remarks for consideration: